In re Application of:

HIROCHIKA MATSUOKA

Application No.: 09/628,347

Filed: July 28, 2000

For: PATCH IMAGE PREPARATION METHOD

AND RECORDATION MEDIUM THEREFOR

Docket No. 03500.014671.

Examiner: M. A.-V. Nguyen

Art Unit: 2626

March 15, 2005

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | | |
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| | Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously. | | | | | |
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| | Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed | | | | | |
| X | Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed. | | | | | |
| | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed. | | | | | |
| | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed. | | | | | |
| X | Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below. | | | | | |
| | Respectfully submitted, | | | | | |

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| LEONARD P. DIANA (Name of Attorney f | e as first-class mail in ar sioner for Patents, P.O. Box 50 on _ 005. e of Deposit) (Reg. No. 29,296) |
| 1 | Y AMENDMENT mination, and in response to the above-identified application as I hereby certify that this correspond the United States Postal Service envelope addressed to: Commiss 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-145 March 15, 2 (Date LEONARD P. DIANA) |